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SUBJECT: MULTILATERAL AFFAIRS: NAM SUMMIT: PANAMAIAN LANGUAGE ON
PANAMA CANAL

FOLLOWING IS AMENDMENT SUBMITTED BY PANAMA TO THE
DRAFT POLITICAL DECLARATION REGARDING THE PANAMA CANAL
QUESTION: QUOTE: DRAFT POLITICAL DECLARATION, AMENDMENTS
SUBMITTED BY PANAMA: DELETE THE LAST SENTENCE OF THE
SECOND PARAGRAPH OF THE SECTION ENTITLED "LATIN AMERICAN
ISSUES": THE FOLLOWING PARAGRAPHS SHOULD BE INSERTED AFTER
THE FOURTH PARAGRAPH OF THE SECTION ENTITLED "LATIN
AMERICAN ISSUES"

THE PANAMA CANAL QUESTION

THE CONFERENCE NOTES WITH SATISFACTION THE UNANIMOUS
LATIN AMERICAN SUPPORT FOR THE LEGITIMATE ASPIRATIONS OF
THE REPUBLIC OF PANAMA, AND ASSOCIATES ITSELF WITH THE
DESIRES EXPRESSED BY THE COUNTRIES OF THE WESTERN HEMIS-
PHERE THAT A SETTLEMENT OF THIS QUESTION BE ACHIVED THIS
YEAR OF THE CELEBRATION OF THE SESQUICENTENNIAL OF THE
AMPHICTYONIC CONGRESS OF PANAMA CONVENED BY THE
LIBERATOR SIMON BOLIVAR.

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THE CONFERENCE REITERATES ITS FIRM SUPPORT AND

SOLIDARITY NASTH THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF PANAMA
IN THEIR FAIR STRUGGLE FOR THEIR EFFECTIVE SOVER-
EIGHTY AND TOTAL JURISDICTION OVER THE SO-CALLED
PANAMA CANAL ZONE.

THE CONFERENCE REAFFIRMS THE SUPPORT OF THE NON-
ALIGNED COUNTRIES FOR THE PANAMANIAN CONTROL OF THE

PANAMA CANAL AND REITERATES THEIR FIRM SUPPORT TO ALL
EFFORTS THAT THE REPUBLIC OF PANAMA WILL MAKE BEFORE
INTERNATIONAL FORUMS, IN PARTICULAR THE UNITED NATIONS
BODIES.

THE CONFERENCE PRAISES THE PROGRESS MADE BY THE
PANAMAMIAN PEOPLE UNDER THE REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT
HEADED BY GENERAL OMAR TORRIJOS HERRERA, OFFERING ANY
SUPPORT THAT THEY MAY REQUIRE WHEN FACING ANY ACTION
WHICH MAY CASE ITS DESTABILIZATION. END QUOTE.
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